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## Grants Information Resource Center (GIRC)

**Free Service for Nonprofits.** *The Mayor's Office of Partnerships and Grants Development (OPGD)* provides nonprofit and government representatives with funding information at its Grants Information Resource Center (GIRC). This computer center provides access to funding databases, as well as the Internet. Staff is available to provide information on additional resources. The GIRC is located at One Judiciary Square, 441 4<sup>th</sup> Street, NW, Suite 1130 North. Call (202) 727-8900 to schedule an appointment.

## Special Announcements

**Computing Indirect Cost Rates and Managing Federal Grants.** *The Mayor's Office of Partnerships and Grants Development (OPGD)* will provide a comprehensive workshop for nonprofit and faith-based representatives and local government grant managers who want to learn about or be updated on federal grant issues. Developing and negotiating indirect cost rates, as covered by OMB Circular A-122, will be covered. The uniform administrative requirements for federal grants and agreements under 2 CFR Part 215 (formerly OMB Circular A-110) will be reviewed as well. This session will take place on April 25, 2006, 9:00 a.m.–noon, at One Judiciary Square, 441 4th Street, NW, Suite 1107 South. To register by April 19, contact OPGD at (202) 727-8900 or [dawn.mitchell@dc.gov](mailto:dawn.mitchell@dc.gov).

## Federal Opportunities

**Adolescent Family Life Care Demonstration Project.** *Department of Health and Human Services* announces funds to establish innovative, comprehensive, and integrated approaches to the delivery of care services for pregnant adolescents and adolescent parents under 19 years of age at program entry, with primary emphasis on unmarried adolescents who are 17 years old or younger. Eligible applicants include nonprofit, faith-based, and community-based organizations. The deadline for applications is May 23, 2006. Approximately \$5,000,000 is available to fund 15 awards, ranging from \$200,000-\$375,000. A match is required. For further information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?mode=VIEW&oppId=8683>. This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372. Please go to <http://opgd.dc.gov/>, Select "State Single Point of Contact" to comply. GrantID: GD1127

**Campus Suicide Prevention Grants.** *Department of Health and Human Services* announces funds to enhance services for students with mental and behavioral health problems, such as depression, substance abuse, and suicide attempts, which can lead to school failure. Eligible applicants include public and state controlled institutions of higher education and private institutions of higher education. The deadline for applications is May 16, 2006. Approximately \$2,300,000 is available to fund 31 awards up to \$75,000. A match is required. For further information, contact Kimberly Pendleton at (240) 276-1421 or [kimberly.pendleton@samhsa.hhs.gov](mailto:kimberly.pendleton@samhsa.hhs.gov); or go to: [http://www.samhsa.gov/Grants06/RFA/SM\\_06\\_004](http://www.samhsa.gov/Grants06/RFA/SM_06_004)

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[campus\\_suicide.aspx](#). This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372. Please go to <http://opgd.dc.gov/>, Select "State Single Point of Contact" to comply. GrantID: GD1140

## **Drug Free Communities Support Mentoring**

**Program.** *Department of Health and Human Services* announces funds to support the development and/or expansion of new community coalitions (mentees) that are focused on substance abuse prevention. Eligible applicants include city or township governments, county governments, state governments, nonprofit, faith-based, and community-based organizations. The deadline for applications is May 12, 2006. Approximately \$1,200,000 is available to fund 15 awards up to \$75,000. A match is required. For further information, contact Kimberly Pendleton at (240) 276-1421 or [kimberly.pendleton@samhsa.hhs.gov](mailto:kimberly.pendleton@samhsa.hhs.gov); or go to: [http://www.samhsa.gov/Grants06/RFA/SP\\_06\\_004\\_dfcmentoring.aspx](http://www.samhsa.gov/Grants06/RFA/SP_06_004_dfcmentoring.aspx). This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372. Please go to <http://opgd.dc.gov/>, Select "State Single Point of Contact" to comply. GrantID: GD1139

## **FY 2006 Food Stamp Program Participation**

**Program.** *Department of Agriculture* announces funds to develop and implement simple food stamp application and eligibility determination systems or measures to improve access to food stamp benefits by eligible applicants. Eligible applicants include city or township governments, county governments, special district governments, state governments, nonprofit, faith-based, and community-based organizations. The deadline for applications is June 7, 2006. Approximately \$5,000,000 is available. For further information, contact Lisa Johnson at [lisa.johnson@fns.usda.gov](mailto:lisa.johnson@fns.usda.gov); or go to: <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?mode=VIEW&oppId=8654>. GrantID: GD1133

## **Parental Information and Resource Centers**

**Program.** *Department of Education* announces funds to help implement successful and effective parental involvement policies, programs, and activities that lead to improvements in student academic achievement and strengthen partnerships among parents, teachers, principals, administrators, and other school personnel in meeting the educational needs of children. Eligible applicants include independent school districts, nonprofit, faith-based, and

community-based organizations. The deadline for applications is May 15, 2006. Approximately \$38,100,000 is available to fund 65 awards. A match is required. For further information, contact Steven L. Brockhouse at (202) 260-2476 or [steve.brockhouse@ed.gov](mailto:steve.brockhouse@ed.gov); or go to: <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?mode=VIEW&oppId=8700>. GrantID: GD1126

## **Pregnant and Postpartum Women (PPW).**

*Department of Health and Human Services* announces funds to expand the availability of comprehensive, high quality residential treatment services for pregnant and postpartum women (postpartum refers to the period after childbirth up to 12 months) who suffer from alcohol and other drug use problems, and for their minor children impacted by perinatal and environmental effects of maternal substance use and abuse. Eligible applicants include city or township governments, county governments, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, private institutions of higher education, nonprofit, faith-based, and community-based organizations. The deadline for applications is May 16, 2006. Approximately \$3,400,000 is available to fund 8 awards up to \$500,000. A match is required. For further information, contact Kimberly Pendleton at (240) 276-1421 or [kimberly.pendleton@samhsa.hhs.gov](mailto:kimberly.pendleton@samhsa.hhs.gov); or go to: [http://www.samhsa.gov/Grants06/RFA/TI\\_06\\_008\\_ppw.aspx](http://www.samhsa.gov/Grants06/RFA/TI_06_008_ppw.aspx). This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372. Please go to <http://opgd.dc.gov/>, Select "State Single Point of Contact" to comply. GrantID: GD1142

## **Prevention of Methamphetamine Abuse.**

*Department of Health and Human Services* announces funds to support expansion of methamphetamine prevention interventions and/or infrastructure development. Eligible applicants include public and state controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, private institutions of higher education, nonprofit, faith-based, and community-based organizations. The deadline for applications is May 16, 2006. Approximately \$3,300,000 is available to fund 11 awards, ranging from \$300,000-\$350,000. For further information, contact Kimberly Pendleton at (240) 276-1421 or [kimberly.pendleton@samhsa.hhs.gov](mailto:kimberly.pendleton@samhsa.hhs.gov); or go to:

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[http://www.samhsa.gov/Grants06/RFA/SP\\_06\\_005\\_prevmeth.aspx](http://www.samhsa.gov/Grants06/RFA/SP_06_005_prevmeth.aspx). This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372. Please go to <http://opgd.dc.gov/>, Select "State Single Point of Contact" to comply. GrantID: GD1145

**Summer Schools in the Arts.** *National Endowment for the Arts* announces funds to raise the quality and availability of arts education in communities by supporting rigorous, challenging summer arts education programs that enable children and youth to acquire knowledge and skills in the arts and gain lifelong interests in the arts and culture. Eligible applicants include city or township governments, independent school districts, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, nonprofit organizations, and private institutions of higher education. The deadline for applications is May 22, 2006. Approximately 50 awards ranging from \$15,000-\$35,000 are available. A match is required. For further information, contact the Arts Endowment staff at (202) 682-5579; or go to: <http://www.arts.gov/grants/apply/SummerSchools.html>. GrantID: GD1135

**Supporting Networks of HIV Care.** *Department of Health and Human Services* announces funds to provide small to medium community and faith-based organizations (F/CBOs) serving minority populations with capacity building assistance and other eligible entities to support capacity building activities. Eligible applicants include nonprofit organizations. The deadline for applications is May 30, 2006. Approximately \$4,000,000 is available to fund 1 award. For further information, contact Celia Hayes at (301) 443-3669 or [chayes@hrsa.gov](mailto:chayes@hrsa.gov); or go to: <https://grants.hrsa.gov/webExternal/FundingOppDetails.asp?FundingCycleId=8956CA39-75FF-448F-A596-222F24382A8A&ViewMode=EU&GoB>. GrantID: GD1134

**Targeted Capacity Expansion Program for Substance Abuse Treatment and HIV/AIDS Services.** *Department of Health and Human Services* announces funds to enhance and expand substance abuse treatment and/or outreach and pretreatment services in conjunction with HIV/AIDS services in African American, Latino/Hispanic, and/or other racial or ethnic communities highly affected by the twin epidemics of substance abuse and HIV/AIDS.

Eligible applicants include city or township governments, county governments, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, private institutions of higher education, nonprofit, faith-based, and community-based organizations. The deadline for applications is May 16, 2006. Approximately \$5,300,000 is available to fund 12 awards up to \$500,000. A match is required. For further information, contact Kimberly Pendleton at (240) 276-1421 or [kimberly.pendleton@samhsa.hhs.gov](mailto:kimberly.pendleton@samhsa.hhs.gov); or go to: [http://www.samhsa.gov/Grants06/RFA/TI\\_06\\_010\\_tcehiv.aspx](http://www.samhsa.gov/Grants06/RFA/TI_06_010_tcehiv.aspx). This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372. Please go to <http://opgd.dc.gov/>, Select "State Single Point of Contact" to comply. GrantID: GD1143

## District Opportunities

**Electronic Grants Clearinghouse.** *The Mayor's Office of Partnerships and Grants Development* is the clearinghouse for the Government of the District of Columbia's grant programs. Notices and application packets are available for the following notices at: <http://opgd.dc.gov/>, select District Grants Clearinghouse.

*DC Public Schools, Supplemental Educational Services Program FY 2006-2007*, April 27, 2006, at 4:00 p.m.

*State Education Office, FY 2006 Teacher Quality Improvement Grant Program*, May 9, 2006, at 4:00 p.m.

*Department of Human Services/Income Maintenance Administration, Mini-Subgrants to Small Non-Profit Community-Based Organizations*, May 10, 2006, at 3:00 p.m.

*Department of Human Services, Community Services Block Grant Program*, May 18, 2006, at 3:30 p.m.

*Department of Human Services, Out-of-School Time Services for Children from Limited English Proficient Asian and African Newcomer Communities*, May 19, 2006, at 3:30 p.m.

*Department of Human Services, Out-of-School Time Services for Children from Limited English Proficient Latino Newcomer Community*, May 19, 2006, at 3:30 p.m.

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Office of the Secretary, Escheated Estates Fund,  
June 30, September 29, and December 28, 2006.

Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and  
Economic Development, Commercial District  
Technical Assistance Program (CD-TAP),  
applications will be accepted on a rolling basis.

## Foundation Opportunities

**Camp Network Initiative.** *The Children Affected by AIDS Foundation* seeks to support organizations that provide camping services for children up to 13 years of age, infected and/or affected by the HIV/AIDS virus. Eligible applicants include nonprofit organizations. The deadline for Letters of Intent is April 13, 2006. Awards ranging from \$1,000-\$15,000 are available. For further information, go to: <http://www.caaf-campnetwork.org/>. GrantID: GD1131

**Community Grant Program.** *The Meyer Foundation* supports organizations that serve the people and communities in the Washington, DC region. Grants are awarded in six program areas: arts and humanities, community service, education, health and mental health, law and justice, and neighborhood development and housing. Eligible applicants include nonprofit organizations. The deadline for Letters of Inquiry is June 9, 2006. For further information, go to: [http://www.meyerfoundation.org/grantmaking/grant\\_making\\_show.htm?cat\\_id=490&doc\\_id=247404#deadlines](http://www.meyerfoundation.org/grantmaking/grant_making_show.htm?cat_id=490&doc_id=247404#deadlines). GrantID: GD1138

**DC Community.** *The Morris and Gwendolyn Cafritz Foundation* is committed to building a stronger community for residents of the Washington, DC area through support of programs in arts and humanities, community services, education, and health. Eligible applicants include nonprofit organizations. The deadline for applications is July 1, 2006. For further information, contact the Foundation at (202) 223-3100 or [info@cafritzfoundation.org](mailto:info@cafritzfoundation.org); or go to: <http://www.cafritzfoundation.org/Main/default.asp>. GrantID: GD1136

**HIV Program Support.** *The Children Affected by AIDS Foundation* seek to make a positive difference in the lives of children infected and/or affected by HIV/AIDS. This includes children who are HIV-

infected, those who are or may become orphaned as a result of losing parents to HIV disease, and those who have siblings, parents, or caregivers who are infected with HIV. Funding is provided for the following areas: Basic Needs; Social & Recreational; and Psychosocial Support. Eligible applicants include nonprofit organizations. The deadline for Letters of Intent is April 13, 2006. Awards ranging from \$1,000-\$25,000 are available. For further information, go to: <http://www.caaf4kids.org/>. GrantID: GD1130

**K-12 Education.** *The Braitmayer Foundation* supports organizations and programs throughout the U.S. that enhance the education of K-12 children. Of particular interest are curricular and school reform initiatives, and the preparation of and professional development opportunities for teachers, particularly those that encourage people of high ability and diverse background to enter and remain in K-12 teaching. Eligible applicants include nonprofit organizations. The deadline for applications is June 1, 2006. Awards ranging from \$10,000-\$35,000 are available. For further information, contact Sabina Taj at (410) 730-3723 or go to: <http://www.braitmayerfoundation.org/>. GrantID: GD1129

**Neighborhood Excellence.** *Bank of America Foundation* announces its Neighborhood Excellence Initiative to recognize, nurture and reward organizations, local heroes and student leaders – in 30 of the bank's major communities across the country – that are helping rebuild and revitalize their neighborhoods. The Neighborhood Builders program provides grants and leadership training to groups working to promote vibrant neighborhoods. The specific focus areas of this program in DC are: community and workforce development with an emphasis on housing and neighborhood revitalization; mentoring outreach and early childhood education; and health and human services. Eligible applicants include nonprofit organizations based in and serving DC. The deadline for applications is June 30, 2006. For further information, go to: [http://www.bankofamerica.com/foundation/index.cfm?template=fd\\_neighborexcell](http://www.bankofamerica.com/foundation/index.cfm?template=fd_neighborexcell).

**Programs That Benefit Youth.** *The American Legion Child Welfare Foundation* provides support



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for projects that contribute to the welfare of children through the dissemination of knowledge about new, as well as well-established, programs designed to benefit youth. Grants must have the potential of helping American children in a large geographic area (more than one state). Eligible applicants include nonprofit organizations. The deadline for applications is July 15, 2006. Awards ranging from \$1,500-\$70,000 are available. For further information, contact The American Legion Childwelfare Foundation at (317) 630-1202 or go to: <http://www.cwf-inc.org/docs/?section=grantseekers&s=cd81b346ea46557995eca48429a2b76b>. GrantID: GD1137

**Speaking Together: National Language Services Network.** *Robert Wood Johnson Foundation* announces funds to improve the quality and availability of healthcare language services for patients with limited English proficiency (LEP). The program has four goals: 1) to improve communication between patients with LEP and their health care providers; 2) work in partnership with hospitals to develop models of high-quality language services; 3) enable hospitals to develop ongoing useful measures of effectiveness and create language services performance benchmarks; and 4) encourage grantees to share successful strategies to increase effective language services within and across hospitals and health systems. Eligible applicants include nonprofit organizations. The deadline for applications is April 26, 2006. Approximately 10 awards up to \$60,000 are available. For further information, go to: <http://rwjf.org/index.jsp>. GrantID: GD1132

## Resources & Announcements

**Excellence in Affordable Housing.** *Enterprise Foundation, in partnership with the MetLife Foundation*, offers the MetLife Foundation Awards for Excellence in Affordable Housing. The program is part of the Enterprise Foundation's effort to ensure that all low-income people in the U.S. have the opportunity for fit and affordable housing and to move up and out of poverty into the mainstream of American life. Eligible applicants include nonprofit organizations. The awards program recognizes 501(c)(3) community-based or regional nonprofit organizations. The deadline for application is

May 5, 2006. Approximately \$50,000 is available to fund 3 awards, ranging from \$10,000-\$25,000. For further information, contact MetLife Foundation at: <http://www.enterprisefoundation.org/metlife/>.

## Previous Announcements

**Advancing Youth Development.** *The Children's Youth Investment Trust Corporation (Trust)* is offering a professional development opportunity for DC Youth Workers. The training provides critical skills, best practices, and supportive network for people working with adolescents in the District. Training will be held at the Community Preservation and Development Corporation, Crawford Hall, 635 Edgewood Street, NE, Washington, DC, on April 4, 6, 11, 13, 18, 20, and 25, 2006, 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. The deadline for applications is March 30, 2006. For further information, contact the Trust at (202) 347-4441; or go to [www.cyitc.org](http://www.cyitc.org)

**Community Design Services (CDS).** *The Washington Architectural Foundation* offers pro bono architectural services to local area-wide organizations that could not otherwise afford these services. Professional architects provide consultations and conceptual documents for a variety of purposes, which may include seeking funding for project development and construction costs. CDS is the catalyst for projects that might not otherwise get started, allowing local nonprofits to focus their funds on programmatic needs instead of initial design concepts. Eligible applicants include community-based and nonprofit organizations. There is no deadline for applications. For further information, contact Beth Judy at (202) 667-5444; or go to: <http://www.wafonline.org>.

**Fannie Mae Foundation Fellowship Program in Affordable Housing.** *The John F. Kennedy School of Government at Harvard University and the Fannie Mae Foundation* are accepting applications to support the professional development of senior state and local government officials and nonprofit leaders committed to affordable housing in the U.S. The fellowship program will enhance the management and decision-making skills of accomplished leaders experienced in managing housing and community development programs. The deadline for applications is March 31, 2006. For further information, go to:

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[http://www.fanniemaefoundation.org/grants/kennedy\\_school.shtml](http://www.fanniemaefoundation.org/grants/kennedy_school.shtml).

**Gelman, Rosenberg & Freedman 2006 EXCEL Award.** *The Center for Nonprofit Advancement* is now accepting nominations for the Gelman, Rosenberg & Freedman 2006 EXCEL award. The award recognizes and spotlights outstanding leadership among Washington-area nonprofit chief executives. The competition is open to any executive director, CEO, president or other chief salaried employee of a Washington-area 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization with an annual budget of under \$5 million. The deadline for nomination applications is April 21, 2006. Up to three people will be selected as 2006 EXCEL Awardees, and up to three people may be selected as Honorable Mention recipients. The EXCEL Awardees will each receive a \$5,000 professional development account to be used for the individual's continued professional development. In addition, each recipient's organization will receive a \$2,000 grant to support the professional development of the organization's staff. An Application Workshop will be held on March 28, 11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m., at the Center for Nonprofit Advancement, 1666 K St., NW, Suite 440, Washington, DC 20006. For further information, to access the application, or to register for the workshop, go to: [www.nonprofitadvancement.org](http://www.nonprofitadvancement.org); or contact Susan Sanow at (202) 457-0540 or [susans@nonprofitadvancement.org](mailto:susans@nonprofitadvancement.org).

**Grant Reviewers.** *The Office of Justice Grants Administration* is seeking individuals from nonprofit, community-based, and faith-based organizations to review applications for subgrant funding for the following federal grants: 2006 Edward Byrne Memorial–Justice Assistance Grant Program (<http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/BJA/grant/jag.html>); 2006 Title II Part B Formula Grant ([www.ojjdp.ncjrs.gov](http://www.ojjdp.ncjrs.gov)); 2006 STOP Violence Against Women Formula Grant (<http://www.usdoj.gov/ovw/>); 2006 Crime Victim Assistance Formula Grant Program (<http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ovc/>); and Victim Assistance Fund (<http://ovs.dmps.jdc.gov/ovs/cwp/view.a.1201.q.4902.55.asp#cvaf>). To serve as a Review Panelist on one of the above panels, submit your resume and indicate which one of the panels you wish to serve on by April 24, 2006, to: John L. Hallums, Director, Office of Justice Grants Administration, 1350 Pennsylvania

Avenue, NW, Ste. 327, Washington, DC 20004, Attention: Review Panel Applicants.

**Online Giving.** *eTapestry* believes that, because online giving was up over 50% last year, every nonprofit deserves a way to receive donations directly from their Web site. It is now offering custom online giving pages to organizations, regardless of their databases. Eligible applicants include nonprofit organizations. The deadline for applications is April 30, 2006. For further information, call 1 (888) 739-3827; or go to: [www.etapestry.com](http://www.etapestry.com).

**Substance Abuse Prevention.** *Department of Health Addiction Prevention & Recovery Administration, in partnership with the Southeast Center for the Application of Prevention Technology*, will host a free training session on substance abuse prevention focus and funding changes for the Nation and the District. Sessions will be held on April 11 & 12, 2006, 9:00 a.m.–4:00 p.m., at Gallaudet University, Kellogg Center, 800 Florida Avenue, NE, Washington, DC. The deadline to register is April 6, 2006. For further information, contact (202) 645-0344.

**Ward 7 Continuous Creation of a Collaborative Community.** *Randall Memorial United Methodist Church, the Mayor's Office of Partnerships and Grants Development, and the Southeast White House* will host a series of free workshops to provide technical assistance to help congregations develop, expand, and enhance programs to meet the needs of the community and build upon existing assets. All workshops will be held at Randall Memorial United Methodist Church, 1002 46<sup>th</sup> Street, NE, Washington, DC 20019, from 9:30 a.m.–11:30 a.m. on the following dates:

April 24, 2006 - Resource Development  
May 8, 2006 - Taking it to a higher level

To RSVP your attendance, contact Patmos Ministries at (703) 569-7237 or [pnmarks@patmosministries.net](mailto:pnmarks@patmosministries.net).

**Women and Girls.** *The Foundation Center* will host two educational opportunities for representatives of nonprofit organizations serving women and girls. Both sessions will take place on April 7, 2006, at the Foundation Center, 1627 K Street, NW, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor. Funding for Women and Girls will be a dialogue with

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the Washington Area Women's Foundation during a brown bag lunch, 12:30 p.m.-2:00 p.m.; Identifying Funding for Women and Girls will offer an introduction to the Foundation Center's online databases of grantmaker profiles, grant records, and 990 filings from 2:15 p.m.-3:15 p.m. To register, go to: <http://fdncenter.org/washington/womendc.html>.

**Youth-Led Social Change Projects.** *YouthActionNet* will present awards to youth leaders and emerging projects that promote social change and connect youth with local communities. To be eligible, youth-led projects should have clearly defined goals and the potential for growth or further replication. Final selections will be made following a peer-review process in which previous award winners select the next round of awardees. The deadline for applications is April 15, 2006. Award recipients will receive \$500 and will be eligible to participate in an international capacity-building workshop. For further information, go to: [http://www.youthactionnet.org/yan\\_awards](http://www.youthactionnet.org/yan_awards).

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